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EVALUATION [redacted] 25X1 PLACE OBTAINED [redacted] 25X1

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1. [redacted] individual and formation flying by jet planes over Bucharest-Buchova (R 43/44-X 64). [redacted] the aircraft seen belonged to a Soviet unit, which was said to be stationed at a large airfield on the western outskirts of Bucharest. The planes had swept-back wings, strikingly large rudder assemblies and cut-off noses.

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2. [redacted] the Romanian Air Force was not equipped with jet planes. Such planes were only assigned to Soviet units stationed in the country. [redacted] 25X1 [redacted] Romanians were being trained in increasing numbers with jet planes, but [redacted] they were never allowed to fly unescorted.

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1. [redacted] Comment. The planes seen probably were Mig-15s.